- (c) As per information made available by the CBI, during the period from 1.1.2005 to 30.9.2006, sanction for prosecution was sought in 802 cases out of which the sanction was refused in 15 cases; and in 6 cases involving more than one public servants, sanction for prosecution was refused in respect of a few of the public servants in each case.
- (d) The competent authority is required to examine each case on merits before deciding whether or not a *prima facie* case has been made out for grant of sanction for prosecution within the prescribed time frame.
- (e) Government has set up Special Courts in various States exclusively for trial of CBI cases.

Complaints received by the Ministry

- 345. SHRI RAVULA CHANDRA SEKAR REDDY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:
- (a) the number of complaints received by the Ministry regarding public grievances and pensions during the last three years, State-wise; and
- (b) the number of complaints pending and disposed of during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) A statement containing the number of complaints regarding public grievances and pensions received in the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances and in the Department of Pensions respectively during the past 3 years, State-wise is placed at Statement (See below).

(b) After scrutiny of the complaints the same are forwarded to the State Governments concerned under intimation to the complainants for immediate redressal of the grievances. On the basis of their gravity and seriousness certain grievances are also closely monitored by this Department. Directions have been issued to all States to redress grievances of citizens within a period of two months and also to give a reasoned reply within the period, if grievances cannot be redressd. The Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances and Department of Pensions received 4404, 5142 and 7603 number of

complaints during the year 2004, 2005 and 2006 respectively and all the grievances have been forwarded to the States concerned for redressal.

Statement
Grievances received in the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances and in the Department of Pensions

Sl.No.	Name of the State	2004	2005	2006
1.	Andaman & Nicobar	19	12	31
2.	Andhra Pradesh	220	263	467
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	15	13	13
4.	Assam	70	62	68
5 .	Bihar	111	160	160
6 .	Chhattishgarh	59	46	42
7 .	Goa	20	25	21
8.	Gujarat	. 120	210	315
9.	Haryana	166	190	285
10.	Himachal Pradesh	27	40	43
11.	Jammu & Kashmir	55	42	52
12.	Jharkhand	62	81	64
13.	Karnataka	153	181	868
14.	Kerala	126	141	192
15 .	Madhya Pradesh	149	173	210
16.	Maharashtra	404	485	1359
17.	Manipur	17	4	7
18.	Meghalaya	3	. 9	10
19 .	Mizoram	0	2	3
20.	Nagaland	0	. 2	0
21	NCT of Delhi	349	525	480
22.	Orissa	88	67	74

SI.No.	Name of the State	2004	2005	2006
23.	Pondicherry	13	27	30
24.	Punjab	164	197	186
25 .	Rajasthan	172	153	188
26.	Sikkim	3	1	1
27 .	Tamil Nadu	315	490	912
28.	Tripura	10	10	2
29.	Union Territory of Chandigarh	18	30	24
30.	Union Territory of Daman & Diu	1	3	2
31.	Union Territory of Dadar & Nagar	0	3	5
	Haveli			
32 .	Union Territory of Lakshadweep	88	1	1
33.	Uttar Pradesh	664	776	767
34.	Uttarakhand	177	166	. 220
35.	West Bengal	526	552	501
	Total:	4404	5142	7603

Reviewing of CSS (Conduct) Rules

346. SHRI GIREESH KUMAR SANGHI: SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have taken up a comprehensive review of existing CSS (Conduct) Rules by an independent Human Resource Management institution in order to liberalize the outdated rules for the employees;
- (b) if so, by when and by which agency alongwith the recommendation thereof; and
 - (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI):